

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Victor Schoenle et al.	Art Unit :	3764
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**Mail Stop Amendment**

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF NOVEMBER 2, 2006

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: